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## Prices and Prospects.

## CONTRACTING FOR SECOND HALF COKE BRISK IN FOUNDRY BUT DULL IN FURNACE

Large Consumers of Furnace Ask Suspension of Shipments.

### FURNACES HAD RESERVE COKE

Spot Coke Being Offered More Freely but Demand Seems to be Limited. Pig Iron Market Shows Firm Tone But Not as Active as Week Ago.

Special to The Workly Courier.

FITTSHUIG, April '5.—Contracting for foundry coke has proceeded apace, and it is estimated that about two-thirds the regular contract business is now under cover, some for six months and some for a year from July 1; the regular market level being \$3.50. Spot foundry coke hovers around \$3.75 for good brands, the day of fancy prices for spot coke he-

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your. It is thought likely that these steel works will require additional iron from time to time, and there has been a theory for weeks, held in well posted quarters, that the large steel interests, which normally make all the iron they need, will with the present pressure for steel have occurs to buy iron in the open market as the furnaces are well sold up and there are practically no idle furnaces to get into blast, the supplies cannot blast, the supplies cannot be materially increased and any further demand would likely send prices The market new stands un sharply, notable as follows:

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Prick Re-Elected Director. H. C. Frick has been re-elected director of the Pennsylvania

### FREIGHT RAYES.

The rates on coal and coke from the Connellaville district, which includes what is officially known as the Councils tille region (sumetimes called the Basin district) and the Lawer Connellaville region (often called the Klandike and sometimes the Masonicour district) to principal points of slippinent are as follows. Gross rates of 2240 pounds are designated thus 't') while all other rates are per set to of 2000 pounds. Destination Coke. Con. Baillinger S. 1.85 Buffalo ... 1.40 4.40 2.05 1.15 1.35 2.50 1.15 \*1.85 2.05 2.05 2.05 Detroit E. St. Louis E. St. Louis
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## Statistical Summary.

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There is a possibility that standard rather projectically unchanged in price and tell that preparations are being for 15 years, will advance at the end of this month. Other steel preducts pre-strain practically unchanged in price and the project p an increasingly important item of pro-

As a substitute for anibracite coal crushed coke has already found a large market. Under the incentive of increased demand, such as would tollow. ssened use for anthracity the track will no doubt expand considerably

Russia Russ American Holdings.
It is reported that the Russian far important contracts for China government has purchased the conf. The consolidation gives the McClinte An Alaskan Rush.

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## Production and Output.

## THE COKE OUTPUT OF THE REGION JUMPS TO THE RECORD FIGURE OF 477,000 TONS

### COKE BIXTEW.

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the Pittsburg-Westmorel and Coal
company, it Bard Station, has been
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West Virginia Miners Get Advance The Gavandotte Valley Coal Oper-tors Association of West Virginia, has of 5 per cent in miners' wages effective April 1.

that Automable Outon Psymmles place the naming of mi-tunodates to be causaffedured in 1816 of 1700 000 as compared with 709-000 tipined out is 1815,

88.8% of the Ovens of the District Operating 98% Full.

### 100% CAR SUPPLY REPORTED

abor is Finally in Pull Supply and Much of it Has Come from "Dry" West Virginia Which Foreigners Don't Like for Living Purposes.

The Councilsville coke trade took on The control of the co a new high record of volume has week when production and shipments went up to approximately 177,000 tons. No stock reems to have been handled. It was a movement from ovens to cars.

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NEW YORK, April 4.—Pebruary carnings of the Norfolk & Western silway indicate a continuance of the revent heavy tennage operations in the soft coal regions of the south and could have the country of the south and could have the country of t \$1.452,658 in het revenue

New York Central's Rail Orders.
The New York Central Railroad company has increased its rail tontag for delivery in 1917 by 35,000 Yew Office Budding at Bethienens, company has age for delivery in 1917 by 35,000, placed a contact for an eight story tons, making the total orders disconfice building to be constructed at tributed for lines West and Bast of Buffaio, 176,000 tons.

## **ELECTRIC STEEL** FURNACES ARE

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facturing Facilities are Required

or about half the capacity of the plant proposed to be installed in Connells ville.

The furnace at Anniston will be operated on steel scrap, and the electric power will be supplied by the Anishman Power Company, which also owns the steel plant. The furnace will be operated in conjunction with the Anniston Ordnance Company. Ingots will be produced by the steel company and sold to the ordnance company, which is at present operating on a large order of shells for foreign countries. It is the purpose of the steel company to eventually work into the manufacture of high-grade tool and cutlery steel.

In order to take care of the heavy demand for electric steel furnaces the American Bridge Company, manufacturers under the Herout patents, is arranging to make an addition to the machine shop facilities of the Pencoyd plant at Philadelphia. Complete units of this type of steel-making equipment are made at this plant and at the Ambridge plant. It is probable that this activity will also be extended to the Gury plant of the United States Steel Corporation.

A large number of furnaces are being completed and shipped monthy by the American Bridge Company, which sells them to users on a royalty basis.

Consul John M. Savage, located at the basis of this synapse.

in the principal steel district of Grea

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Greening their use he says:

"Until the past year the use of electric furnaces in Sheffleld was limited and not more than 10 were in operation in all the steel works located here. That Sheffleld manufacturers are alive to the possibilities of the newer process is shown by the faut that during the calondar year 1915 at least 15 additional electric furnaces were installed in various works of are in process of installation, and a large number of manufacturers have erection of such furnaces under consideration.

The Column Colu

U. S. STEEL TO BUILD LARGEST "As a result of the increased production owing to the introduction of these furnaces a largely increased output of alloy steel for the construction At its Milwaukee and Chicago Plants:
First Furnace in South Now in Successful Operation; Greater Manus

put of any steel for the construction of automobiles, accordance and small castings has resulted, and at present there is a large demand for these types of steel."

## PENNSYLVANIA'S LARGEST

Fersons who are actively concerned in the successful promotion of the new electric steel billiet plant enterprise for Connellaville, will be interested an knowing that this improved process of manufactures is duding wide application of the electric furnace was in France and Germany, but in recont years it has been improved by American engineers and tested out under the severest conditions of natural manufacture. Its success and efficiency have been proven to such, a degree that upwards of 60 installations have already been made throughout the United States and 160. C. Frick Coke Company, 1,574,731 to success and efficiency have been proven to such, a degree that upwards of 60 installations have already been made throughout the United States and 160. C. Frick Coke Company, 1,574,731 to success and efficiency have been proven to such a comparatively small output expactly per heat, a fact which shows their advantages over open hearth furnaces. The latter can produce only about three beats per week while the electric furnace can produce and part of the respective of the new method than have smaller concerns, but an important forward step in the development of tonnago production of electric steel in this country is about to be taken by the United States Steel Corporation. After a series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests electric stops in the series of tests extending over a fact of the series of tests extended to the fact of the series of the series of tests extended to the series of the series of the series of

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Consul John M. Savage, located at Sheffield, England, recently submitted a report on the progress in the introduction of electric steel furnaces

Resumes Bessener Department.

The Bethlehem Steel Company is starting up its fiessemer steelmaking department to furnish steel for the rail and structural mills. This department has been shut down since June 30, 1913.

LIST OF COKE OVENS IN

## The Connellsville District

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With Their Owners, Address and Ovens in Blast Corrected to Saturday, Apr. 1, 1916.

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## IMPORTANCE OF THE NEW STEEL

### STEEL SALES DURING MARCH WERE ENORMOUSLY HEAVY

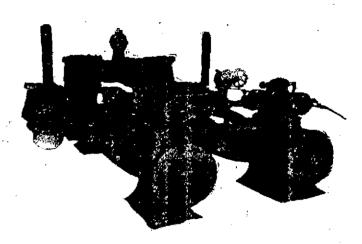
## The Lower Connellsville District

IMPORTANCE OF	STEEL SALES DURING MARCH WERE ENORMOUSLY HEAVY	The Lower Connellsville District
THE NEW STEEL	Known Transactions Amounted to 1,000,000 Tons, Over Half of Which	With Their Owners, Address and Ovens in Blast Correcte
PLANT AT GARY	The known transactions in steel products during the month of March	
It Was Thought That No	amounted to at least 1,000,000 tons, more than half of which yas due to railroad purchases of equipment.	Ovens Blat Name of Works. Name of Operators. F. O. Indutows
More Bessemer Plants Would be Built.	Relatively few orders for war muni- tions were placed, although negotia- tions continued actively on 150,000	203   293   Allison No. 1   W J Rainey   New York   200   200   Allison No. 2   W J Rainey   New York   142   American No. 1   American O'villo C. & C. Co.   Pittaburg.   240   240   American C.   American C.   240   American O'villo C. & C. Co.   Pittaburg.   240   240   American No. 2   American C.   240   240   American No. 2   American C.   240
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A HEAVY DEMAND FOR TUBES	amounted to about 30,000 tens. Au- tomobile manufacturers bought about 25,000 tons of steel sheets and special	100 100 Bridgeport H.C.Friok Coke Co. Pittsburg. 470 400 Bries Hill Beier Hill Coke Co. Bries Hill. 20 20 Browning Browning Coke Co. Uniontown
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great interest to the steel world. It is all the more interesting because of The general impression in the trade that	000 tons of standards and light sec- tions, including about 60,000 tons for	132 20 Picanor Sunshine Coal & Coke Co Unicatown 32 32 Fimory South Frayetta Coke Co Unicatown 200 900 Frairbank Struthers Coal & Coke Co Pairbank
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The American Metal Market, "but be cause it might be that the existing Bessemer plants would be able to fur-	for the Union Trunk Line, to be built	400 400 Griffin 1 & 2 Bensemer Coke Co. Pittsburg. 210 200 Herbert Connellaville Central Coke Co. Pittsburg. 48 45 Hilliede Westmoreland Gas Coal Co. Pittsburg.
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Youngstown, O., was put in blast, no Bossemer stoel plants have been built Since that date the Bessemer depart.	during the week amounting to 223 tocomotives, the largest orders being	200   200   LaBelle   Labelle Coke Co   Labelle   220   220   Lakyotte   Atlas Coke Co   Helon   462   420   Lakyotte   Hol Prick Coke Co   Pittsburg   124   124   124   125   12
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### THURSDAY MORNING, APR. 6, '16.

### STREET DISSOLUTION SHIT.

The South generally, and the Balti Manufacturers Record particukerly, find grave (ause for complaint against the Washington administra-tion for delay in reaching a decision in the United States Steel Corporation

It is charged that the suit was largely based on the purchase of the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company's properlies, the claim being
made by the Government that the acquisition by the United States Steel
Corporation created a monopely of the
steel business. The Manufacturers
Record is of the opinion that the defendant in the Government's suit is
thus estopped from making any further large developments in the South
while a decision is pending. "If," the
Record continues, "the administration
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The decision of the lower court having been so sweeping and positive southern business men see little justification in further prosecution of the

cation in a further prosecution of the case, and hold the Wilson administra-tion responsible for the fallure to bring it to a conclusion now that the exig-encies of so-called "trust bushing" do not seem to warrant further prosecu not seem to warrant further prosecu-tion. The goople of the South, with possibly more directness of expression than is heard in the North, are saying that the time has come when the Democratic party should realize that it owes more to the South of a con-structive and less of a destructive na-ture, hence the inquiry has become pertinent, "What has the South receiv-ed at the hands of the Democratic party?"

by limit the inquiry to the South when the same interrogatory come from every section with great ununim ity and increasing vigor of expression

## WASHINGTON COAL VALUATIONS

WASHINGTON COAL VALUATIONS. The 'Washington county conimissioners have just completed revising and equalizing the coal land assessments of the county. The perplexing conditions confronting them are thus set forth by the Washington Observer: "The tinal adjustment of the assessment of coal leaves this class of property at about the same figure that it was three years ago. While the intrinsic value of coal has undoubtedly increased during this period the market value has not. When the law says that real property should be assessed at its actual value this means the amount it would bring in the market, not what it ought to bring or what it what it bught to bring or what i might bring under more favorable cir-

many of those who sow have coal in this county would be gind to sell at a less figure than their coul is assessed for taxable purplies. The present con-dition of the coal market in this counis the result of business fallures or ty is the result of business failures on the part of those who owned so much the part of those who owned so much coal land, much of the property now being in the hands of receivers. Until the affairs of these large coal owners are worked out there is not likely to be any appreciable sale of coal. Investors will not buy so long as this chaotic condition exists. And the small owner of coal property, the farmer who has kept als coal as well as the investor, must continue to hold on for some time to come and pay taxes on his property.

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same conditions prevalt in Greene county, where the coal assess ments were reduced. In Payerta county no changes were made for the ion that practically all the roul is in the hands of operating interests most of it actually being mined.

### ARMOR PLATE.

The three armor plate plants in the country, which Senator Tillman and the Southern Congressional contingent propose to put out of business, are all located in Pennsylvania.

The first one built was solicited by the Government to engage in the business, and the others encouraged mightly. It is true they made money on the manufacture of armor plate, but it is in evidence that they furnished it at prices as low as those charged in other contries, so that charged in other countries, so that they did not profit unduly all things

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profit in the past is no excuse for con-fiscating their property in the present. The countries of the property is dephites in different hands at this respresenting the State Department of

dissolution suit. It is claimed that sorious injury is being done and the industrial development of the South is being greatly petarded by the action of the Department of Justice.

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> become to be so well recognized, and their efficiency proven by actual tests, that neither employes nor employers can assume the risks which a disregard for them would involve.

### SHOW US.

The Connellsville News is very indignant breause The Courier has, in-timuted that J. V. Thompson is being persecuted for being a Republican

persecuted for being a Republican, and says the latter should be saved from his fool friends.

The Courier holds no brief from J. V. Thompson. He is in no manner responsible for any opinions expressed in these columns concerning himself or others. The Courier has only voiced a common suspicion colced a common suspicion.

The News, on the other hand, seems to speak for the Democratic adminis-tration with the Voice of Authority Perhaps it will be able to answer these

Why was the presecution of Thompson delayed so long after the closing of his bank? Was it a more coincidence that

it became active when Thompon's affairs promised rehabilitation?
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Why was it necessary to make a second presentment against him, and why was the court not consulted before making it? We may be misthen, but we have nopen mind, and we are willing to

he shown.

In Payette county at least the prosecution of J. V. Thompson is not good
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to them.

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## LABOR NOT A COMMODSTY,

The decision of Judge Anderson of Cahoning county, Ohio, quashing the

man of great capital; and is entitled to Just as much respect, though he live in a cabin, as the man who lives in his p-dace counting his gold. I in his p-duce counting his gold. It am she of those who believe labor and capital should go hand in hand with capital should go hand in hand with the same independency, and the same rights equally accorded to each. Capi-tal depends upon labor as much as in-bor depends upon capital. I cannot and I am glad I cannot—class labor

as a commodity."
Employers and employes have every legal right to determine, through conregarding to determine, through con-ference or mutual agreement, the rates of wages to be paid and to be received. This is a fundamental of the laws of equal rights, and responsi-bilities, neither of which can be bar-

tered away. Our navy department declares that freadmaughts win bloodless battles True, but when it comes to winning bloodless battles the submarine has

deubities in different hands at this time.

However, the stockholders of the Pennsylvania armor plate plants need not despair. As a preparedness proposition the Covernment armor plate plant is a doubtful one. Expects say it cannot be built and equipped to operation under four years, and it the Government is going absend with the greater navy proposition in carnest it will need a great deal of armor plate in the meantline.

The Betblehem Steel Company offers to make armor plate at the Covernment's own prices. The proposition is much too generous.

THE TRAINMENS DEMANDS.

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The issues between the ratironal trainmen and their employers are clearly slettned and seem to be well understood by both parties and the public generally. The trainmen declare for an eight-hour day and time and half time in excess of eight hours. The nilway managers contend that general radical and bushies conditions do not warrant these concessions being made.

A disposition to fairness is displayed by the trainmen who have formally ing condemned by them is a palace compared to the Connellsville build-ing. We are thus reminded that the compared to the Councilsville building. We are thus reminded that the
Inspectors made a similar report on
certain functions as shell wildings a
short time before the holding of an
election to apprive or disapprove a
bond issue for new school buildings
in that city.

This may have been coincident or
designed but if the judgment of the
inspectors is just it cannot be criticised. One the other hand, it is ob-

rised. One the other hand, it is ob-closs that such inspectors should not be hasty and reckless in their condennations There is a conservative that the Fourth Ward sentiment sentiment that the Fourth Ward school building, having survived the storms of while; is stout enough to stand the combar two months of spring. The drager of fire is admitted, but that danger is always more or less present in every building of every character no matter how modern and improved, and the objection ought not be lie against the first floor rooms which might be used until the end of the term.

In the meantime, the Uniontown Genius says editorially:

"Stopping off in Uniontown, while making an inspection trip in this part of the state, Factory Inspector Prancis J. Preham, accommanied by Walter J. Lloyd, special inspector for fire prevention, and J. Add Bazlett, special indicating and at the control school building and after a thorough inspection and a tenter nee with the teachers and the school board announced themselves as satt fied that the danger in this building had been reduced to the minimum, indeed, so carefully and implicitly are the recent admostituated the state factory inspector expressed the sorble in that the danger in this building—and as it is—is less than in aumericum orber much more substantial buildings he has visited where carefulness seemingly is not given proper chaptusts either in preachment or in practice. The sinding of these three expects as a result of yesterday's Inspection is encouraging. With a rigid observance of the safety death of the practically no more danger there than they are in their own homes as used that their chaldren are subjected to practically no more danger there is not streets, going to aud from school but we dit want that new school building will not be thoust weak and when the straight and control in the streets, going to aud from school building will not be thoust with the state of the school building will not be thoused up in order to make the talter and every a recoveragement in his camping of the streets, going to aud from school building will not be the sole attraction of the town school building will not be thought them in washed them clean in the streets, going to aud from school building are soon as possible."

So it seems that the condemned Uniontown school 'quilding will not be thandoned this school year, it having readyed some rapalrs and renewals, and thereby a new leans of the every and connections gave liberally of its provided some rapalrs and renewals. thandoned this school year, it having reclived some rapairs and renegals.

## THE HOME BUILDERS.

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The paying out of a series of shares in a local Building & Loan Association within ten years establishes a good record for maturity. It calls attention, too, in the destrability of membership in beso institutions While they afford a safe sound and remanerative investment for these who can key by a given sum regularly, it is to the builder of homes that they offer peculiar and decided advantages. iffer peculiar and decided advantages

By the payment of monthly sum often no larger in amount than reniu charges, the patron of a building and ioan association can acquire a home of his own free of debt within a de-cade and be occupying it while makcade and be occupying it while making the mayments, Connellaville has accres of Reenes in it this way and sources of people who as stockholders of its building and loan associations have learned the habit of thrift.

There are scores of other wage enteres, without homes of their own, who must to contract and may be must be accounted.

who ought to get acquainted with these institutions of which Connellsville now has a number, all ably manged by local people whom everybody

The home building and lose assets tion has no high-salaried officials, and its stockholders are chickly its home builders.

### WAR ON CUPID.

Th Connellsville nostoffice has de-clared war on Capid. At the risk of allenating considerable business, the nestmaster and his chief assistant has postmaster and his chief assistant have refused to permit married women to have separate boxes for their mall, discounaged the renting of boxes to youthful misses and turned a stern and forbilding front lowerd flirting in the comfortable almosphere of the flower miner, building the rights of edizenship in married women plainty indi-

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Bond Issues are becoming popular.



cologo smeilin' like a potted hyacinth. Sylvia Pash proposed t' Pinkoy Kerr t'day, but it wuz so sudden be asked fer a respite.

fer a respite.

It seems like nothin ever gits togoth till ther's a few regignations "flow Coddish Are Dried" delighted a large and intelligent andlence at the Nickelodeon last night.

at hay.

Who remembers when ther wuz a hainted house in ever neighborhood?

Leminic Peters, who graduated with such high honors last June, is assisting at the C. K. Hvery barn durin' rush bours.

### EVANGELISM.

ROTTEN, BUT—?

Local carpointers have Joined in the condemnation of the Fourth Ward some who publicly professed Christ. Of school building, programming it ratten. In the meantime, the Unicotour Genius was asys editorially:

"Stopping off in Uniontown, while making an invargation tell in this man many were already members of the church. But some were stancer, and if the moral effect is permanent, and if the moral effect is permanent, making an invargation tell in this man, and if the moral effect is permanent.

llgious connections gave liberally of its money. Whether so much encourage-ment would have been given the sep-arate campaigns of the churches is a matter for consideration in estimating the relative worth of evangelism of the

among all good citizens that any link ence which makes for good in the con-munity is to be welcomed and encou-aged. The business of conserving the aged. The business of conserving the public morals is largely in the hands of the churches, and we must allow them large initiate in their methods so long as such methods seem to be aimed in the right direction.

buyers of the Silgo plant indicating a lack of faith in their intentions to op-crate the mill comes as a shock to the

t prices which are constantly mount-

ng. If the old owners of Silgo could have held on to it and made some minor changes to most war demands they would have been out of dont by this

would have been out of debt by this line and paving dividends. Let the purchasers of Migo start it up or get out and give some enterpris-ing capitalists a chance. Forhaps the present purchasers of Sligo bought with German capital in the German interest?

### SIGNIFICANT.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Com-pany is exercising its options on Con-nellsville real estate needed for its enlarged freignt station and tracks. The dealed of the rights of chizenship in married women plainly Indicates that the Democratic declaration in favor of Woman Suffrage is a deliusion and a snare, a promise to the car intended to be broken to the hope. It would be in vain to extenuate the matter. It is evident that the Democratic administration, in Connellsville at least, believes that woman has no part in Government Ownership which is one of the sacred rights of Citizenship.

Landsildes are popular on the rail-

In the campulan or 1912 the Demoand need no farther support. boasted that our manufacturers were able to supply the market of the world with any commodity demanded. The

with any continuity demanded. The Johnstown Leader says.
"Now we are begging dyestaffs to print our American money and postage and revenue stamps, itepreventative Hill. In the Congress, reminded in that if this war is long continued this nation might ultimately be compelled to change the color of the national flag. And the Peruylan minister reminded us that if we want the markets of South America we must produce heis of South America we must produce good goods. We cannot dump should upon them. The Democrats who made declaration of industrial independ ence can't produce bandana handker blefa that will sell nor socks that will wash. This will be a great year for a revival of Sockess Jerry Simponism but it is no good for a Thurman ban-dama fad."

The announcement that the United States Steel Corporation is going to build two electric steel furnaces of the same type us that proposed at Connellsylle puts our minds at rest as to the practicability of the proposias to the practicability of the proposi-tion, also as to its desirability. The Steel Corporation always knows just about what it is doing in new con-struction. There's just a little stock left. Now is the time to subscribe.

The Governor has appointed May 25th as Good Roads Day and invited everybody to get his tools in order. In the meantime, the Governor has resumed the task of sharpening his political ax for the Presidential primary.

Judge Work's other name seems to

Bryan says he sees vitrory for the lemocrats sions made upon the country by th ler. Ler. Mrs. Emmy Pash has received a south venir card from her place, who is workin' in one o' th' best families in Indysophus, sayin' things are breakin' line for her.

A' government investigation made of the question, "Who raised the price of gusoline and why?" Gasoline has become a great American neces-My, and its price may not be be without knocking every interest large and small.

The walstline is reported to be gong up with the skirtline. Some fashlons aim at the skyling.

Doctor Walte, the New York poison Defor water, the new role poison-er is said by medical expens to have been suffering from "brain twist." In the minds of old-fashioned people the est remedy for this malady is wist.

Pitchfork Tillmun proposes to oprate the Government armor plate dant eight hours a day when business dull. He does not seem to have arried that the manufacture of arcor place is a continuous performant the party is a continuous performance, rec he is ready to spend \$11,000,000 of the public money as a starter in the trinor plate business. Some Wushingstatesmen had better go back to ton states Ho farm.

The lake coal rate seems to be at open question.

The Tri-State telephone company thich was once absorbed but broke al and escaped, has began to pracden the absorbing art berself

The Connelleville coke boom ha verflowed into the Greensburg and zurobe sections.

The West Virginia Republicans ar preparing to elect delegates on June 6th to the Republican National Conith to the Republican Namona, con-vention to be held June 7th and to have then on hand at Chicago for the phening of the convention. The Republicans of the Mountain State are specis on political preparedness.

Mine explosions are getting quite duce to the Connellsville region, but we will hope that the rules of safety less intelligently applied will keep our mines saie.

The coke business is booming in the South too. Everybody wants coke There's no reason why manufacturers should sell it at profitiess prices any ouger.

The radroads are s(I) strugglin with the congested freight condition a the eastern districts, but the same of stately entry

The National Tube Company will build a complete plant at Gary, Indi-gen, and lest out the relative meri-of water froms on Lake Michkan and the Ohlo river and its tilbutaries.

Percomanganese comes high, There would be a next margin of profit in it for Dunbur furnace if that other stack was going

orders for 1917. They give coni-dence to the future of the steel husi-ness which helps to pleasantly resolve this disturbing doubt as to what will happen when the Europeaen war be-comes a peace. The railrouds are wise to phase rail

Seer Bryan sees a Democratic victory his full. And President Wilson will be running for that condemned second erm, too. Delaware is a small state but she

seems to have a large candidate for President in the person of T. Caleman du Pont, Powder King. In the death of John Thorndell, the oses a veteran campalmer.

March went out like a lamb and according to the rules of the weather

Pennsylvania state officials won't take orders from the Governor. This is not a good year for taking orders. The Amherst signalman, who has been switched off from trouble by the

The name of Aeron has become a household word in the Connellsville coke region during a quarter of a century of commercial life.

Congressman Warren Worth Bailey as evolved a brilliant scheme to efhas evolved a brilliant scheme to effect a reduction in the price of gasoline. He proposes that the government drill wells on the public lands in oil territory and sail the crude oil to reliners, preference being given to those known, or supposed, to be independent concerns. Why make it a partial government conversible proposition? There is just as good Democratic reason for the Government to make grassline as there is for it to make grassline as there is for it to

If Charlie Schwab keeps on growing he will soon be a bigger mun that old Gury.

It is proposed to make the county a postal unit in the postal savings system with each office therein subsidiary to the main office at the county seat. Whom it is proposed to make Connellsville subsidiary to Uniontown, the postal eavings business will suffer a shock.

seems bard come burd to learn. Safety first nears walking on the railroad tracks last, yot a great many people walk first on the railroad and let safety come

told you so." American troops are not permitted

President Wilson's submarine policy will get this country into deep water

Ex-Governor Pennypacker has been nonlinated by a German newspaper is candilate for president of the Trited States. The annexation of Schwenckerille by Germany may now be expected almost any day.

The Republicans in Congress are withholding from the Democratic ad-ministration nothing needed for na-tional defense. They are Patriots first and Politicians afterwards

Every now and then the State of imes its ancient job as the ottom of the Lake.

When we have made Villa into a corpse we have an offer of real money or it. The electric steel billet mill is in sight and Connellsville does not pro-

pose to let it get out of sight, The Democratic House has definitely crossed Prohibition and Woman Suf-frage off its calendar.

There's a glut of apples in the mar-iet. Eat apples and forget the high out of living.

The Democrats have discovered that signs needs protection; so does the Democratic majority in Lousians.

puny has very properly dedded to change the name of its diners. They will hereafter be known as restaurant ears, and they will serve not only din-ner but breakfust and supper and

The automobile interest want an embargo put on gasoline Perhaps it will be necessary. If the price goes to 40 cents per gallon it will stop a good many wheels from going round.

Another Mexican raid is planned. Another Mexicum rate is planned.

Not across the border into the United | Detailed report of the coke trade States, but across the thresholds of for the week ending April 7, shows a the rich Calholic churches to seize total of 23,317 ovens in the region of their jewels, works of art and other valuables. Carranza needs the money.

Advance information is to the effect hat the Democratic platform will not nave a one-term plank in it this

Perryopolis has a greater distinction now than being the site of Washing-on's Mill. It is the first place in Payte county to give a demonstration in tractical Preparedness. It has or-inized a rite club and will learn to

The Dawson community now has everhead without the charge.

The filing of certain damage suits indicates that the Brownsville bridge is not seitled for yet.

The Baltimore & Obio's competing line from Somerset to Fittsburg has suspended operations. If it cannot be made to may now it never will be profitable.

Poking the German eagle now safely cased seems to be a favorite occupation of the weaker nations. A day of reckoning is coming, however. The United States does not fear such a day, notwithstanding the lurid stories of magazine writers, but our dignity and our honor prompt us to be particularly and the Board of Health take steps careful of the dignity and honor of the German nation.

Burgess Solsson and agree to pay 3564 as pole tax for four years. Attoritey George M. Hosack of Pittsburg is mentioned as a candidate for the nomination for lieutenant for the nomination for lieutenant in the basement of the Kall building on Main street.

"Aunt Lizzie" McCormick, in her seth year: Mrs. Gerrude Patterson liyatt, wife of C.M. Hyatt, and Louis motivithstanding the lurid stories of magazine writers, but our dignity and our honor prompt us to be particularly careful of the dignity and honor of the German nation. reports of the official investigators feels sidetrucked and satisfied,



PRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1886. PRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1286.
Heavy rains and melting shot bring a spring freshet which cause alides and washouts on the Baltimor & Ohio railroad at Indian Creek an Broad Ford and at Yowlerville on the Peenickey.

Two well known residents of towide by their own hand. Dr. Franklindley shoots himself on Main stree in front of the Yough House and John T. Mahaney of New Hayen employ

in front of the Yough House and John T. Mahaney of New Haven employ the same method of self-destruction at the Dixon House in Greensburg. Hope Hose Company elect. William McCormick, captain; L. M. Richey Rarton Stillwagon and Harry Reagor lecutemants; Hugh C. Stillwagon, president; R. B. Shaw, treasurer, and C. M. Fee, secretary.

A committee consisting of P. S. Newmyer, B. F. Boyts, J. T. McCormick and Dr. J. C. McClenathan is appointed at a meeting of business

The First National Bank of Connells, men to solicit subscription for stock

The First National Bank of Connells, vitio is about to take the third degree.

Fire and flood have scourged the Monongahela railroad.

The sportsmanship of the thief who tried to steal wild turkeys sent here for the disputants to allow the rooster breeding purposes stapped at the belt line.

If it proves true that shooting from the solid has caused the West Virginia mine disaster the Department of Mines of Pennsylvania will be able to say, "The coroner's jury finds that the gas explosion in the Unionals mine to solid subscription for steel in a shase company.

A dispute between A. N. Stouffer souther a visit wind a Andy Easper over the ownership of a rooster is settled with Solonomic; windem by Squire J. M. Lytle who prevaits upon the disputants to allow the rooster himself to indicate its owner. Releasing the bird x, made a straight course to Stouffer's stable, court adjunction of the control of the control

was caused by gus Which escaped from the old workings in the Morrell mine through a hole accidentally made by Hiram Hucy, one of the vic-

o ride on the Mexican railroads. Carunax is about as friendly as Villa.

President Wilson's submarine policy

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ent of the Pitisburg division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, agaumes his duties.

Fear is entertained that the rapid

Fear is entertained that the rapid natural igns development will permanently and seriously effect the coke trade.

Joseph Cook, the famous Boston lecturer, delivers his lecture, "Ultimate America," at the California Normal School. A report of it, published in The Courier, was the first piece of newspaper work Mone by John L. Gans.

FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 1896.
Detailed report of the coke trade for the week ending April 4, shows a total of 17,947 overs in the region, of which 11,448 are in blast, and 6,490

which 11,448 are in blast, and 6,490 idle, with an estimated production of 116,839 tons, an increase of 1,800 tons over the previous week. Shipments for the previous week aggregated 5,750 cars, consigned as follows: To Pittsburg, 2,397 cars; to points West, 3,449 cars; to points East, 904 cars, an increase of 335 cars over the previous week. The Betwart Iron Company is making 24-hour coke at its Beesen plant. Negotiations are concluded for the removal to South Connelisable.

Negotiations are concluded for the removal to South Connellsville from Lancaster of the look works of

Democratic majority in Lousiana.

Congress will apply a fiteracy test to immigrants. By a proper prolongation of the same principle Congressmen should be required to pass an examilation on the constitution and the laws, and especially upon the character of room is A to succeed Miss May Emery, resigned.

The powder mill explosion at Oliphant may have been accident or it may have been dealign. In these days of war and the manufacture of explosives for deadly purposes, it is naturally that the powder mills should begin to be assisted in their naturally reckless propensity to "let go."

Experts say there is plenty of natural gas. The opinion should be filed with the Public Service Commissions of the country.

The Pernsylvania Rallroad Company has very properly decided to the filed of the week include only has very properly decided to the filed of the week include of the Mary A. Lindley, aged 74, and

The deaths of the week include Mrs. Mary A. Lindley, aged 73, and Solomon Davis, aged 53, of town, and

Joseph Bute, aged 64, of Frankin township.

The singing of Miss Margaret Callaghan was one of the features of the concert in the opera house for the benefit of the Catholic Church.

"Cutle" McHugh, who dropped in off a road empayement contributed to road engagement, contributed

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1906. which 21,135 are in blast and 2,182 idle, with an estimated production of 271,796 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 14,602 cars, consigned as follows: To

5,337 cars: to points East, 1,7734 cars.

1 the 50-ton steel coke car makes its appearance in the coke region.

A company of 50 men surprise W.

5. Schenck, master carpenter of the list kinere & Ohio railroad, at his home in honor of the completion of the list is the service of the his 31st year in the service of the company.

Burgess Solsson and agree to pay

## Albe Martin.



A feller can't be hampered by facts an' information an' be a good prator. Pony Mopps is home from barber's release profile. When parted by schill

An onion a day keeps your friends

liours
Greeer Ning Trumbull, who recently failed, announces that he'll open a nickel the ster on 'pay dollar fer do.-

Jones style, in general, however, it is agreed

SLIGO. legal proceedings against the

crate the mill comes as a shock to the community which has been counting on the carry resumption of that industry. However, it is a comfort to know that the local counter is thoroughly alive to the situation. The purchasers of Sigo should be made to live up to their contract and start the mill. This is no time to dismantle American mills. The demand for their product is large and growing at prices which are constantly mount-

The making of this improvement in dicates that the company has great fulth in Connellaville as a business

onds just now and accidental states men are hopeful,

REVIVE SOCKLESS JERRY STYLE. eratic oracors and eigenmentally grown our infant industries were fully grown and need no farther support. They

make gaseline as there is for it to make armor plate,

Mount Pleasant furnishes the latest ctim of trackwalking. The lesson cens bard to learn. Safety first

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pay.
J. V. Patton, the new superintend-

John L. Gans.
Council wrestles with the problem of how to pay \$557 of current bills with \$17.70 of available cash.

Joseph Bute, aged 64, of Franklin

Pittsburg, 4.641 cars; to points West, \$,327 cars; to points East, 1,7734

The Asron Company hold format opening of their new six-story furniture establishment on North Pittsburg sirest.

Representatives of the Bell Telephone Company meet council and Burgers Solven and Asron to Tray

## DOUBLE MENACE TO SCHOOL CHILDREN, INSPECTOR ASSERTS

Declares Fourth Ward Building is in a Very Dangerous Condition.

### FORMAL REPORT IS SUBMITTED

espector Lloyd Tells Chief There is Danger from Fire and Collapse, and That He Would be Dereliet in Duty Not to Make Report of Conditions.

That the danger pupils of the Fourth ward hullding are subjected to in the occupancy of that structure is more than extra hazardous" is the fading of Walter J. Lloyd, special inspector for the Department of Labor spector for the Department of Lubor & Industry, in his report to the state. This detailed report was made to Supervising Inspector Francis Feehan and a copy forwarded to the Connellistille School Board Monday.

Fending the receipt of further advices from the state. School Board took no action in the matter, of abandoning or reopening the school. It is temporarily closed, however, the

temporarily closed, however, the pupils attending the South Side schools from 12,30 to 4.15 o'clock

The report of Special Inspector Watter J, Lloyd addressed to Francis Feehan, says: On Friday

Walter J. Lloyd addressed to Francis. Feehan, says:

On Friday, March Jl. I Inspected, in company with you and Aft. Elasiett, the Fourth ward school, on Futretic avenue, Connelisville, Pa., and find and recommend the following:

This building is a three-story brick construction of slow burning type, built in the yoar 1808. A few years ago, it was removed from its original site to a location some fitty leet away.

Upon entering the first floor, there is a hallway leading from front to rear in center of building, with doorways at both ends. The stairway is located in the center of the hallway and leading to a similar hall, running the entire length of the building on the neutring of the third floor. The stairways leading to the third floor, The stairways and leading to the third floor and are very dangerous. The stairways are enclosed with wood partitions, with a wooden slide door at the foot of the second floor staircase.

There are fire escapes on the two extreme slees which lead from the third floor are never used, as the entire free escapes of such type that the average child or grown person, would have no sense of security in descending. The railings are loose and insecure.

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insecure, and staleways is piled bish and school supplies, and pre-

Tinderneath the stairways is piled rechish and school supplies, and presented as dangerous condition.

Diprotected wires are tun across joists in casement and in loft underneath roof. The joists in the building are in a decayed and unsafe condition. Some of the floors have sunken about two inches. The roof is of tar paper and extremely huzardous.

The heating system was recently done away with and the building is now heated through underground pipes aupplied from the high school building adjoining. But the bester system in the class rooms consists of exposed steam pipes unprotected against the wainscoting.

Summing up this entire building, it presents a dangerous condition from two separate points of view:

First—The danger of collapse.

Secrid—The danger from file.

And I would recommend to the School Board of Connellaville, that they immediately abandon this building and provide other quarters for the housing of these children, for I am theroughly convinced that the danger to which these children are subjected to, in the occupancy of this building, is more than extra hazardous. I would not feel that I had done my duty, towards the people of Connellaville, or to the Department of Labor & Industry, by whom I am employed, if I did not urge that this building be closed for school purposes.

this building be closed for school purposes.

In presenting this report, permit me to assure you that I have not done it hastly, but after deliberate thought and consideration, and believe that I would indeed be consuced and consideration, and believe that I would indeed be consuced and consideration, and believe that I would indeed be consuced and consideration. To me, the greatest asset of America today are our children, and we should not hesitate to provide them with exercise should not hesitate to provide them with exercise growth.

Superintendent S. P. Ashe reported that the transfer to the South Side schools, where attendance is compulsery.

Superintendent S. P. Ashe reported that the transfer to the South Side schools had been accomplished on Monday with no confusion. The attendance, the first day was normal. A committee of parents who visited Mr.

CANT GET NEWALD

The police, however, intend to push the county jall, and hesitancy in expressing his views of what some lateress in expressing his views of what some lateress in the policial mission, had been a blitter deliberate throught and hesitancy in expressing his views of what some lateress in the policial mission, had been a blitter factional supside the interested in such the cases further.

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committee of parents who visited Mr. Ashe with a complaint about having to send their children to the South Side went away satisfied when the circumstances were explained to them was no discord at all in regard sending the pupils there, Mr. Ashe

attated.
A number of directors expressed themselves as pleased with the prospect of carrying the \$250,000 bond lesue for new school buildings next Tuesday. Mr. Ripley stated that prospects are "fine." Mr. Long and Mr. Wood declared that West Side screen are being won over to approval voters are being won over to approva-

of the issue.

A flacussion ensued as to the possibility of tensing Fayette Fleid for athletic purposes. Superintendent Ashe was permitted to go to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad with a proposition to have the board assume the taxes and pay a rental of \$5 a month from last September. Originally the railroad wanted the board to pay \$172.18 in back taxes, all current taxes and \$5 a month tental.

A preliminary evolueration list sub-

preliminary exoneration list sub-A preliminary evolutration list sub-mitted by Tax Collector E. R. Fioto was referred to the linence committee. The applications of Misses Marie Kenney, Florence Kimbull and Mr. S. G. Fegley, Migh school teachers, for state teachers' certificates, were ap-proved.

## Returns to Uniontown.

Frank B. Collier, an employe of the two tanks at the present location and H. C. Frick Coke Company, has been these are ocing replaced by two new transferred from Putsough to Union ones.

## BAND CONCERT DRAWS BIG

e Program is Given by Gaster's Musiciaus: Soloists Score De-cided Success.

The annual concert of the Connells-ville Military Band at the tubernacic last night was heard by more than 0,500 people, the largest Accountial 3,509 people, the largest grown that has ever attended. It was a good concert, at that, and few, If any, of the 3,500 had any criticisms to make. The band was never better and the soloists were excellent. The various little novelies introduced in the enforce numbers added to the interest in the program.

The band played nine numbers and as many encores, besides participating in some of the other selections. The band was especially happy in the choice of its soloists this year. Miss Marian Minson, a local girl, made her first appearance with the

uade her first appearance with the band, singing two melodious mum-bers charmingly. Allss Anna Grouge of Scottdule,

bers charmingly.

Miss Anna Opoige of Scottdule, who scored at summer concerts of the band, again pleased with two numbers, though it seemed and, shy she felt impelled to sug them both in some foreign language that none of her hearers understood.

Will A. Rhodes of Pittsburg again demonstrated that he is complete master of his fine tenon voice. Mr. Rhodes always makes a bit with local audiences.

## **NEGRO IS STABBED**

Row in House Winds Up in the Police Court.

Court,

Following a visit to an alleged discorderly house on South Meadow lane during which he claimed he was robbed of \$10, John Martin, an Italian from Mount Braddock, stabbed George Jackson, a negro, with a nazor about 5 o'clock Monday. Both men were slight gashes at the back of the neck Both men were arraigned before the mayor this morning and such was fined \$10 or 10 days to the county Jall. The police, however, intend to push the cases further.

Arkansas Governor Refuses to Ex-tradite Land Promoter, UNIONTOWN, April 4,---Word was

eceived here today from Clarksburg, V. Va., that the West Virginia au-W. Va., that the West Virginia authorities who went to Little Itock.
Ark., to bring back L. J. Newald, wanted here and in West Virginia on false pretense charges, failed to secure their man. Newald is a land promoter and has been indicted in the Payette county courts on charges of swinding torefeners in sales of Att. swindling toreigners in sales of At-

After charges had been made gainst Newald in Harrison county against Newald in Hairlson county, W. Va., Deputy Sherlif Leo T Caul-held went to Little Rock with re-quisition papers for Newald, but the zovernor of Arkansas refused to fonce them. onor them.

## MAKING GOOD PROGRESS.

Muntle Refining Company Pushing Work on Stables and Tanks,

The Atlantic Refining Company is The Atlantic Refining Company is making good progress in the building of the new stables and tanks on Sixth street. West Side. The work which started several weeks ago, is being pushed forward rapidly and the gang of carpenters and laborers at work should soon be putting the sinishing touches on.

The oil company formerly had two tanks at the present location and

returned to Uniontown to reside.

City Has 10 Carriers.

Frank Bolling, a former substitute city mail earlier has been added to the active list of carriers. This makes 10 mail carriers at the local posts office.

Hospital Report.

Miss Rebecca Clowes, superintend-close posts of the Cottage Care Hospital, this month graph and the following expensive posts for the roenth of March. Number of the month of March. Number of nations at the beauning of the month. 32°, admitted, 62° discharged, clair of Brownsille township beautiful and the clair of Brownsille township beautiful. month, 32, admitted, 62 discharged, chair of Brownship 184; died, 5; remaining, 25, been carculated.

## AUDIENCE TO TABERNACLE ROAD PROGRAM IS **ENDANGERED BY A WAR ON CONTRACTS**

All County May Get is a Law suit if Controller Mian-

## tains Stand. **COUNTY SOLICITOR BLUNDERS**

Three Roads: Controller's War on Outside Contracting Firm Will Result in Contracts Being Held Up.

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skirmishes for the non-nations but when those scraps are settled, the liepublicans with all wheel into line for the whole ticket.

"I am not worryin, the slightest over the outcom's of the election next fall. The Republicans are going to work the Pennsylvania, and win by big safety maintifies."

## BOY IS MISSING.

George Morris Gone from Vanderbilt Home for a Week.

Mis Emma J. Burns of the West Side is making an effort to locate her son. George Morris who disappeared from the home of Murble Morris at From the pure of sale in solvins an average of the Vanderbill a week ago yesterday. Mrs Burns says she did not learn until a day or so ago that the lad had gone off. The lad who is 17, was adopted by the Morris family some time ago, but contributed to his mother's support

UNIONTOWN, April 4—Reports were current in political circles here today that Harry Neff of Masontown and 5. Date Field, as attorney of Smithfield, will contest for the Republican programme f lican nomination for a sembly in the dock, seeks a divorce from Samuel first egislative district at the May Nicklow of the same place, allegin, in-

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CROW FOR HARMONY

State Chairman Predicts Republicant Will, be United in the Pall.

State Chairman W E Crow of Payette expects a healthy pamary fight, but he predicts there will be no dissentions in the Republicant ranks when It comes to volum at the heating a least of contribute 50 cents each when It comes to volum at the heating a least that it 1,000 personal election in the fall. Senator (row was in Philibian; yesterdas, and while into a political inission, had no hesitance in expressing his views of what some lateress; are trying to interpret as a bitter factional salig-gle.

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and that on March 22 of this year the was sentenced to serve a term in the federal peritentiary at Atlanta for sinckmall, The Hoellant in the case is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Floomed of East Payette street. Seek a Divorce, evis allow of Mount Brad-detained.

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panion reminded standing in front of the other persons in the row.

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## INTERRUPTS FUNERAL

Peddler Drives Between Carriages and

Uniontown Physician Forms
Fin and it coses off.

UNIONTOWN, April 5 - Beo Meliugh, 21 years old a college student was almost instantly killed this afternoon by his brother, Dr. William A gan at the young man in a spirit of iun, and the weapon went off.

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## NEW GUNERAL FOREMAN.

C. A. Cage Comes to Shops Here from Cumberland.

Comberland.

Another change which has taken aftect at the Baltimore & Ohio shops here is the transfer of General Foreman T J. Raycrott to Cumberland. At that place he succeeds O. I. Streett as assistant master mechanic. He has already gone to Cumberland and entered on his new duties.

The successor here is C. A. Cage, who has been at mg as seneral foreman of the Cumberland shops.

habets corpus directed to 8. G. Me-Dowell and Mrs. D. Ella McDowell to have the latter produce in court Wil-liam (Lury McDowell, two-year-old on April 13 for a hearing. The pur-erts adogs the child is being fliegally detained.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL SONG FEAST PLEASES A LARGE AUDIENCE

of oid billiporids, the advertisements showing plainty on the inside There were indications a week and that one trimers would be making ben in a short time.

HE HAD A REASON

Timits Who stood Up in Moyles Was In Dence of a 17%.

A young min and a girl walked into a motion picture house several nights ago and were inshered to a seat some distance toward the front. It was necessary for them to pass from the maste to the center of the seat section. The young woman passed the people scaled in the same row and took one of the two yagant sents. Her companion remisined standing in front of the other persons in the row. As the youth remained there willoud taking his seat, some of those behind him (whose view he was obstructing hegan to subtless. It was several nine.

## LOCAL YOUTH NABBED.

Walter Headrick Jailed for Trying to Steat Automobile. According to a Barrisburg dispatch, Walter Headrick of Connellsylle, was arrested there on Sunday, charged with the theft of an automobile be-

longing to Bertrum Shelley of Steel While the police were pursuing the

The Connelsville Military Band made a big hit at Uniontown last aight. The concert given for the benefit of the Union Hose Company was a decided success.

The Morning Hernid accords much praise to the band and soloists, especially Miss Anna George' soprano, and Miss Pearl Keck, planta.

Goes to Altoons W. D. Sachler, at one time local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, has been made manager of the United Telephone Company at Altona. For pine years Mr. Sechler was connected with the Johnston district of the Bell company.

Local Women Arrested.

Helon Deredezi, 17, and her sister,
Mrs. Mario Scabo, 26, bolh said to be
from Connellsville, were arrested in a
Pittsburg department store on Saturday. They carried a grip containing
women's clothing valued at \$350,
which is alleged to have been stolen.

New Hospital Nurse.

Miss Edna Dillinger, of New Brighton, has taken a postion as a nurse in the Cottage State Hospital here. She has just left the Beaver Valley General Woojtal, where she has finished her training.

Palls From a Wagon, Cotor of Edward E. Roblins, a well-known member of the Westmorehand county has his announced as Republican candidate to Congress in the Twenty-second district composed of Westmoreland and Eutler countles,

## The Grim Resper

MRS. GEORGE W. CAMPBELL, Following a lingering illness, Mrs. George W. Campbell died Monday morning at her home at Smithfield. Funeral Wednesday afternoon at 2 oclock. Rev. W. M. Bracken officiated. Mrs. Campbell is survived by her husband and four children, Waller G Campbell of Carlisle, W. Va., Mrs. E. S. Brooks, W. E. Campbell and Earl Campbell, all of Smithfield; one brother, John McCann of Masgntown; two sasters, Mrs. Elizabeth LaClare of Uniontown, and Mrs. Jennie Cunningham of Brownsville.

MRS HILDA LECKENBY. Miss Hilda Slagle Leckenby, a bride Miss Hilds Single Leckenby, a bride of nine months, died yesterday morning in the Memoriai Hospital, Johnstown, of peritonitis. Deceased was married nine months ago in Connellswille to Meri Ray Leckenby. She was born at Hooversyllie, July 3, 1888, as born at Hooversyllie, July 3, 1888, as faughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Slagie of Hooversyllie. In addition to her husband and parents she is survived by one brother. Funeral from the by one brother. Funeral from the United Brethren Church at Hooversfrom the ...

ville Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, 3 MRF. FERDINAND GUTH. Mrs. Ferdinand Guth died Wednes. Mrs. Perdinand Guth died Waches-day evening about 6 o'clock at her is home in Pranklin township, following an illness of pneumonia. Funeral Satturday morning from Sacred Heartize Catholic Church at Dawson, with insterment in the Catholic cemetery. Deceased was born July 15, 1818, and its survived by her husband, two, sons

and two daughters. JOSEPH H, COUGHENOUR,
Joseph H, Coughenour, the nine
months' old son of Henry and Cella
Sanner Coughenour, died Monday at
the family residence at Mount Brad-J
dock, Francral Wednesday merning
at 9 o'clock from the house. Interment at Mount Olive cemetery at
11.30 A. M.

PETER SESICK. Peter Sesick, 38 years old, died Saturday at his home at Juniata fol-lowing a lingering lilness. Funeral sgrvices were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment in Greek cometery. Deceased is survived by widow an! four children.

JOHN F. OLIVER. John Francis Oliver 59 John Francis Oliver 59 years old a well known resident of Uniontewn, died Sunday evening. Funeral from the residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

JOHN TAYLOR.

John Taylor, 65 years old, a well known colored resident of the West.
Side, died Friday morning at his home. In North Seventh street.

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## PERRYOPOLIS AND **SMITHFIED HOTELS** FACE OBJECTIONS

Brief Session is Beard the List Being Meard by the Court in Less Than Two Hours; Conneversy 180 Develops Over Obiopole Liccuse the List Being Illenses in Smithfield and Peritopolis Were heard by Judges J Q van Sweatingen and E H Reppert in the amount session of Beense court this foremen Cross remonstrances were flood against the granting of license at the Ablon Rotel Fairchance by Friedman & Sechlet and trank D Myers both of Whom are seeking the Bleense thee The application of Richard W Dawson, Iwatee of the estate of D D Rush, a bankrupt for a license at the Title Uniform Market D Harry Marlette and F M Rush both asked to be grained the following the Bleense the Crock Whom are seeking the Bleense the Title William M Rush both asked to be grained the Court was an abrief one being concluded in one heur and a half after it began There were many women in coult dots; and the entire seating capacity of the large Court room was taken up by spectators.

EXAMINATIONS NEAR

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Attorney John Diggan Ir represented Tesso B Wantt who is seeking a renewal of his license at the Hotel Perry in Perryopolis. Mi Duggin attacked a remonstrance of the school children of Perryupolis declaring it to be a fraid upon the court. He said that Mr Wants own child had signed that Mr Wants own child had signed to the foremen and the bosses will be held here in found as beginning it when it was taken into the public achieve the 900 meals at the Hotel Perry and that there is scatcely ever a vareant room to the hostelly.

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## GOODS RUADS DAY

Governor Brumbaugh Sets Way 25 as the Date This Year

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Remonstrances are Heard at the Formal Session of License Court.

A DISPUTE FROM FAIRCHANCE

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## Negroes Believed to Have Lobbed a B & O Car at Sodom

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A petition to quash the writ of mindan Ridge and Zenith coal companies from Worth Klipatrick and John A Armstropy.

## SENDS CHECKS OUT

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## CONTRACTS ARE LET FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SIX NEW ROADS

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## W. F. APPLEGATE, VETERAN EDITOR, **ANSWERS "THIRTY"**

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## SPUDINIS PLAN TRIE

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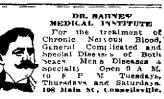
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## SUICIDE; WOMAN KILLS SELF POSTAL RECEIPTS **PUT OFFICE HERE** IN FIRST-CLASS

Business Exceeds \$40,000 for the First Time in Its History.

### **BIG GAIN FOR LAST SIX MONTHS**

Sest Previous Year Was That Ending in 1915, and This Year Fell Behind During 1 irst Six Months, Increased Pay for the Postal Lorce Here.





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# **BOLTS GOVERNOR**

### FORMER CONNELLSVILLE MAN MEETS HIS DEATH IN MEXICO

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# POLICE NAB NEGRO

## DEATH OF VALENTINE HAY RECALLS SOMERSET FIRE

# BETHLEHEM STEEL

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lieved in many quarters that they will be led thereby to use their influence to prevent the passage of the legislation which already has been adopted by the Senate, looking to the oraciton of a government aumor plant.

In a statement addressed to the members of Congress and signed by Charles M. Schwab, chairman, and Engene G. Grece, president of the Bothlehem Steel Company, which was before the national legislators to day, it is argued that "if the government utilizes private plants to make its armor, it can exact conditions as to quality and obtain the benefit of economies, difficult if not impossible to realize in government manufacture amplified and the reasons in substantiation thereof given. They are as follows:

MFirst: Covernment manufacture means one sub-department. of the government contracting with another, with no officient means to enforce contracts, either as regards time of eithery or quality of material. There would, under government manufacwould under government manufac-ture be a natural pressure and in-clination to avoid the cost and delay of replacement of armor falling to meet exacting specifications, which, if purchased of private concerns, would be rejected without hesitution. A. Jew years ago the Bethlehem Steel Company, lost 800 tons of armor, worth \$255,000, because it could not meet the ripoguages.

Company: lost 600 tons of armor, worth \$255,000, because it could not inject the rigorous tests.

Second: It is more economical to operate an armor plant in connection with a commercial steel plant.

"Third: In making armor, necessarily a substantial amount of the product is rejected as scrap. In a private plant conducting other operations the discarded material can be saved; a government plant would have to throw it away or enter into the business of selling scrap armor steel.

"Two facts stand out: First armor privately made and subjected to rigid government inspection and tests is certain to be of the highest grade: and second, private industry can infect economics impossible in a government plant.

"The United States has available the private private private armor plants, developed for the use of the government and for the use of the figures for the same period in 1814. Thirty-eight of those killed and 67 injured on the same railways and compared with the last six months of the praced on the same railways and compared with the last six months of the praced injured of the same railways and compared with the last of 1914. There were 10 more killed an trolley lines and a decrease of 280 persons, injured on the same railways of the preceding var.

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effect economies impossible in a government plant.

"The United States has available three private action plants, developed for the use of the government andfor no other purpose. We offer to place all the cards on the table, to open our books to the Federal Trade Commission: and to put our experience, our facilities and our economies at the service of the failing upon such terms as the government itself shall name as their.

"Many members agree that no pro-

came as fair."

"Many memiors express that no proposal more favorable to the government could be secured, and in addition the Bethichem Steel Company already had notified Congress that become involved in war or threatened war, the government of this country can have any product we manufacture—and price it chooses to pay; and under such circumstances, and regardless of price our outro plant will run 24 hourst a day with every pound of energy behind h."

Big Concern.

PITTSBURG, April 1.—Dr. Walter St. Rittman, who expected to the Bureau of Mines, whose resignation whe are ready Pittsburg today for a conference with capitalists concerning the converted to the conference with capitalists concerning the formation of a company formed of the purpose of manufacturing gusding from the process which he developed, and which gained wide publicity, but close friends of Dr. Rittman and today that his attention would be given to dyestuffs.

On account of the exhaustion of the Fittsburg seam of coal in the vi-idity of Donora, made apputent by Conomaugh Smokeless Coal Company the increasing number of worked out at Steward which yesterday cost the the increasing number of worked out chines, tests are being made of the lives of uprintendent. George Wad-lower measures of coal. Scarcity of dell and seven other niners. All the better grade and more easily mineral is driving operators to look after the Freeport seam which lies much deeper and is much more expensive to operate. So far the tests show a seam of 2½ and another of 3 feet.

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### TRAINMEN'S VIEWS ON SHORT DAY CONTENTION

GRADE CROSSINGS

WILL MAKE DYES

Ritman Quits Mines Buréau to Head Blg Concern.

PITTSBURG, April 1.—Dr. Walter S. Rittman, obemist of the Bureau of Mines, whose resignation was announced last night, was expected to reach Pittsburg today for a conference with capitulists concerning the formation of a company to manufacture dyesuuffs.

It was recently reported that Dr.

Six Claimed a Toll of 94 in 8 Months;
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Ninety-four of the 502 persons
killed on the railroads of the state in
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number 34 were occupants of autoinchiles, according to the reports of
accidents on the railroads and electric
lines of the state issued by the Public Service Commission.
The report shows a total of 592
killed and 4,869 injured on steam
railroads and 98 killed and 1,362 injured on electric lines. The figures

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mark an historic event in the steel trade, an advance in the price of steet trade, an advance in the price of steet trade, is considently expected in trade closes to take place shortly.

The base price of rails has shood at 328 a ton for more than 15 years. Aixed at about the time the United Stated Steel Corporation was organized in 1991 and it has never varied. Today indeed line the corporation, issued a statement saying that the rail making rubaldaries of the corporation would maintain present prices until May I but would make no committeen beyond that date. In view of the fact that the prices of other steel products have been moving unward to record high figures and that many independent call makers have favored placing galls on a parity with these products, the announcement of Judge Gary was generally taken in Indicate that many

Recent contracts for the extension of its open hearth stell works by the Dunner Steel Company, Buffalo, provide for the addition of five furnaces, which will make right in all. The size of these furnaces has not been determined. Until determined, finally.

City Gives Streets to Tube Works, The city council of Mckeesport has decided to vacate 13 streets, covering about six acres, in order that the National Tube Company may build an extension to its plant.

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### RAILROADS MAKE OFFER

tion in the negotiations that are ex

Being Treated Fully by Carriers, there shull be upon for discussion those provisions in mesent schedule of compensation which are "in conflict" with the following principles:

WASHINGTON, Marca 30.—In connection with the demands which the engineers, fireneed, conductors and brakemen of the country were prepared today to make to the railroads of the country particular attention was attracted here today to a statement made by Freshreit Willard of the fair and confined the same proble body, togically the interestate Commerce (Commission, Should make a thorough luvestigation in the public interest of the fairness of the demand of the railroad trainmen for a new wage scale.

"The public interest of the fairness of the demand of the railroad trainmen for a new wage scale."

"The public is interested." says President Willard, "in the right of thain craws to fair, even 200d lates of pays and suitable working conditions. If it should develop on investigation that these men are not well paid, consistency the nature and circumstances of the present wage structure, many rules and regulations that there may are not made equilable under the present wage there are made equilations and regulations that there may are not made equilations that present wage structure, many rules and regulations that there may are not made on the present wage structure, many rules and regulations that there may are not well paid, consistency are fair and equilable under the present wage for the following principles:

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"If, on the other hand, it should appear," adds. Mr. Awilland, "that substituers, firemen, conductors and braken as your proposals contemplate fundamental changes in operation of souson why, the public should be compelled to pay higher rates simply because these four large organizations have made, or expect to make, most ansured their dissatisfaction with the results of arbitration in the pass and braken of the Cabin Creek results of arbitration in the pass and an injunction against a large number of anotherists of the Cabin Creek results of arbitration in the pass and an injunction against a large number of an object of individual members of the Cabin Creek results of arbitration in the pass and an injunction against a large number ough injury by the interestate Compass permission to do so is first obstained from the proper regulation, also in the interest of the public, in back of railroads unless permitted to add millions to the operating cost of railroads unless permitted to add millions to the operating cost of railroads unless permitted to add millions to the operating cost of railroads unless permitted to add millions to the operating cost of railroads unless permitted to add millions to the operating cost of railroads unless permitted to add millions to the operating cost of railroads unless permitted to add millions to the operating cost of railroads unless permitted to a sector a full hearing of all the fucts.

"Longestally, this hearing should take place before the same body that fixes the rates and other conditions of service, that is to say, the interestate Commerce Commission."

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Submit Counter Proposals for Consideration of Eurologes.

NEW, YORK, March 30.—Eastern railroad managers rapiled today to the demands of their employes for no eight hour day and higher rates for overtime work by submitting propositions of their own for discussion. The demands of the employes are not refused, neither is a demand made by the railroad managers for the acceptance of their own jumposals.

These are considered for consideration in the negotiations that are ex-

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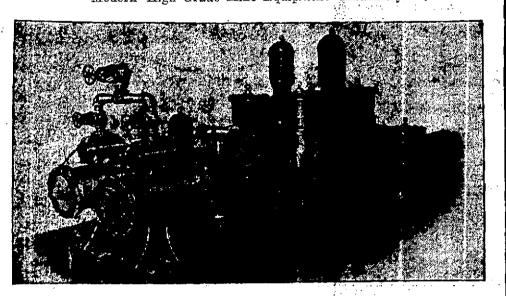
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